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### Will Keep Eyes on Men.

Superior, Wis.—Several girls of this city have formed a girls' protective association. It is a sort of love trust. Its purpose is to keep tabs on young men of the city. They will keep each other informed as to actions of the men and protect members of the society from attentions of any youth against whom there is the slightest breath of suspicion. If a member hears of any young man falling by the wayside she immediately reports to the rest. That young fellow is thereafter tabooed. On the contrary, if a young man shows signs of reformation this also is noted. He is correspondingly encouraged. The discovery of the organization has created quite a furore among young men of the city. All are wondering how they stand on the books of the society.

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Sam R. Allen and Mrs. Lydia Beverage were married at the Methodist parsonage here Wednesday morning by Rev. J. D. Pope. Mr. Allen is in the employ of the Campbell Lumber Co. The bride is the widow of the late Wash Beverage of the Buckeye neighborhood.

G. P. Hamilton was in town Wednesday from Sunset making arrangements to move his family to

## Married.

FRIEL—GUM.

On Wednesday, April 3rd. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gum at Arbovale occurred the marriage of their daughter, Lola M. Gum, to Grover C Friel in the presence of friends and relatives. After the ceremony the company repaired to the dining room where a sumptuous supper was served which was enjoyed by all. The service was read by Rev. H. Blackhurst. May their lives be long, happy and useful is the wish of their many friends.

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Hotel Marlinton. John L. Stretch was united in marriage to Miss Birdie M. Lambert, both of Greenbank, this county, Rev. Jno. A. Gero Shipley officiating.

Forrest Clark has resigned his position with the Merchants Grocer Co., of Alderson, and is now at his home at Renick. He will leave Monday for Morgantown where he will enter the University.

Earl Gibson, who has been working for O. J. Richardson through the summer, returned to his home Kansas Tuesday. Unless he turns here next spring the Marlinton bull team will be badly crippled.

Mr. and Mrs. Page Malcomb left for Savannah, Greenbrier county, Tuesday morning to visit Malcomb's mother. They accompanied by little Gert-Willis and expect to be gone two weeks.

and Mrs. Ernest B. Anderson of Lewisburg, spent yesterday in Marlinton. Mr. Anderson clerked in A. Harrison's store and has many friends who were glad to see him. This is his first visit here left four years ago.

Hunter has returned from at Chalybeate Springs and has been for several for the benefit of his. We understand his health recovered that he will be to resume his position of Marlinton.

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Saturday. The will be preaching by Rev. T. J. Lambert, the presiding Elder at Mt. Pleasant School house in the Draft on Saturday night and Sunday morning. There will be preaching at the Methodist church in Marlinton on Sunday night by the pastor. No preaching in the morning.

#### Sharp-Jordan.

A very pretty society event occurred in Trinity Church, Frost, on Wednesday evening, August 28, 1907, at 8.15 P. M. when Aaron A. Sharp and Miss Odesa P. Jordan were joined in the bonds of Holy Wedlock, by Rev. O. B. Sharp, officiating minister.

The groom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Sharp, and is a highly respected young man, and a successful teacher in our public schools. The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Jordan, and is a young lady of very amiable disposition, and pure and noble character. The bride was tastefully dressed in white organdie, and the groom wore the conventional black. They were escorted by A. L. Dilly, as best man, and Miss Clara H. Jordan, sister of the bride, as maid of honor. After the ceremony, they repaired to the home of the bride, where a bounteous repast was served to about 50 guests.

The bride was the recipient of a number of useful and valuable presents. The happy couple started for Jamestown and other points, the next morning, followed by the best wishes of their many friends.

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Pupils' Reading Circles—Eula V. Hill.

Compulsory Attendance—Should the Weekly Report to the Attendance Officer be continued?—Lucille White.

The Value of Current Events in School Work—Leta McLaughlin.

Notebooks and their value—W. A. Hively.

Nature Study—Kathleen Taylor.

How I Teach Health and Sanitation—Charlcie Beverage.

Tests, Spelling Bees, etc.—County Superintendent.

### MARRIED

Mr. Brooks D. Sharp and Miss Charlcie A. Galford, both of Slaty Fork, were united in marriage at the Marlinton Methodist Parsonage on Wednesday, November 14th, Rev. S. R. Neel officiating.

Mr. Merl Wilson Dilley and Miss Goldie Mani Hefner were united in marriage Tuesday, November 13th, at the Marlinton Methodist parsonage, Rev. S. R. Neel, officiating.

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## CAMPBELL—RICHARDSON

W. R. Campbell and Miss Pleas Richardson were married at the Methodist Church in Marlinton on Tuesday, August 16, 1927. Rev. S. R. Neel was the officiating minister.

Mr. Campbell is a young business man of Huntington. He is a native of Highland county, a son of W. P. Campbell.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Richardson of Marlinton. She is a graduate of the University of West Virginia. Last year she was a member of the faculty of the Edray District High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell went to Virginia by automobile on their wedding trip.

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## GAUJOT-WARWICK

On the evening of Monday September 26, 1927, at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Annie Warwick, in Marlinton, Claude Leon Gaujot, of Huntington, and Miss Eula Hill Warwick, of Greenbank, were united in marriage. The officiating minister was Rev. S. R. Neel, pastor of the Marlinton Methodist Church.

The bride is a daughter of Forrest H. and Bertie Nottingham Warwick. She is a bright, promising young lady. For three years she taught at Green Bank, and this year she is teaching the Curry School, near Dunmore. She and Mrs. Gaujot met while she was going to school at Marshall College. Mr. Gaujot is from a well known family of Mingo county; his father was a mining engineer, and the second mayor of the city of Williamson; his mother a Miss Flourney, of Virginia. He was in the World War, serving over seas in France with the A. E. F. His home is now in Huntington; he is assistant sales manager for the Missouri Paint and Varnish Company.

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and Female Academy will begin to-day, under the direction of Prof. C. A. Brown.— The school will be ably conducted in all its departments. Those desiring a knowledge of instrumental music, will be pleased to learn that Miss Lillie Overholt, so well known here for her rare-musical accomplishments, will take charge of that department.

Again the wedding bells are ringing and we are called to chronicle the marriage of Mr. Romulus C. Loveridge, of Renick's Valley, and Miss Laura Conrad, of Philadelaphia, which took place at the residence of Mr. Preston Clark on the 2nd inst. Quite a number of the friends of the contracting parties were present, and all realized a good time. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. S. Sydenstricker. The happy couple have our best wishes.

Mr. Allen Coulter, who lives on Spice Run, has rented his property there, and contemplates becoming a resident of our town in a short time.

A very fine horse belonging to Capt. Wm. L. McNeil became frightened last week and ran into a sled, breaking one of his legs so badly that he had to be killed. The Captain's son Henry was on him at the time, and strange to say was thrown violently over the horse's head on to some rubbish without sustaining any injuries.

"Granger," a fine horse belongin to Mr. F. A. Renick, took sick and died about the same time.

Our enterprising townsman, Mr. W. H. Overholt, is preparing to build an addition to his house, which when completed will add considerable to the appearance of our town. Mr. Samuel Hoover is also going to build a

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A beautiful wedding took place at Marlinton, September 11, 1925 when Miss Veva Kathleen Grimes became the bride of Mr. Rose Burchfield. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Grimes near Frost. The groom is the youngest son of William Burchfield of North Carolina. Rev. May performed the ceremony.

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The writers of the West Virginia



## Court House News

### Marriages for January, 1934

Wallace Edward Bird, 21, and  
Kathleen Abbott, 23

Clyde Lee Perkins, 22, and Nora  
Viola Underwood, 21

Randolph Ray Carr, 23, and Grace  
Catherine Wilfong, 23

Bruce Kerr Nottingham, 21, and  
Mary Evelyn Wilmoth, 18

Roland Vinson Slayton, 21, and  
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Married at the Parsonage, Marlinton. by Rev. S. R. Neel, November 13, 1925, Mr. Berton Bernell Gum and Miss Mary Hazel Arbogast, both of Arbovale.

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Federal Court is in session at Charleston this week. About twenty-five Pocahontas people are in attendance as witnesses and defendants.

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quisition on the application of the Prosecuting Attorney McWhorter and that night Policeman W. Gordon Leach, as agent of the State, went to New York after the prisoner.

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## MARRIED THREE BIRDS.

The wife of a lawyer in West Virginia has been married three times. Her maiden name was Partridge, her first husband was Robins, her second husband was Sparrow, and the third one a Quail. There are two young Robins, one Sparrow, and three Quails in the family. One grandfather was a Swan and another a Jay, but he's dead now and a bird of paradise. They live on Hawk Avenue, Eagleville, Canary Island, and the fellow who wrote this is a Lyre and a member of the family.



## RETURNED.

Fifty-four years after leaving Clarksburg, W. Va., L. W. Grimsley, 78 years old, returned with a comfortable fortune and found his wife waiting for him. Grimsley left Clarksburg in 1866 and went to Fort Smith, Ark., where he engaged in stock raising and the mercantile business. His wife did not know where he had gone and had given him up as dead.

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### **LOCAL MATTERS.**

**THURSDAY, JULY 19TH, 1883.**

**To You, Perhaps !**

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SHERIFF LEVI GAY, of Pocahontas county, reached Lewisburg last Friday, from Independence, Mo., having charge of Enos E. Sharp, who lately eloped from Swago, in that county, with a Miss Monday. Sharp was reclaimed upon a requisition, charging him with horse-stealing.

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#### **Church Dedication.**

The new M. E. Church, South, at Gap Mills, in Monroe county, will be dedicated on Sunday, the 29th inst. Services will be held



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Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Camper and most estimable young lady. The bride has lived here several years and at present holds a position with the Marlinton Co. Their friends wish them joy and happiness in their venture.

Baxter died at his home in Ft. Indiana, Saturday morning, June 1st, after an illness of about two weeks. He was a son of the late George Baxter, and has two brothers, Willis and John, living in Marlinton. He was 35 years of age. Deceased was an engineer on the Pennsylvania railroad from Chicago to Ft. Wayne and was employed by the Brotherhood of Railroad Engineers at Ft. Wayne. He has numerous friends in this county and it is a loss to learn of his death.

#### Executive Committee Notice.

Wahontas County Republican Executive Committee will meet at the home of Mr. J. W. Oliver, Saturday afternoon, June 15th, at 8 o'clock. It is requested that every member of the committee be present as important business is expected.

EVERLY WAUGH, Chairman.

#### Howe Lodge Instituted.

Howe Lodge No. 358, I. O. O. F. was instituted last Saturday night by the new Grand Master, of Greenbrier. Thirteen members were initiated on the night of the institution. The officers were chosen as follows:—W. M. Siple, Grand Master;—Ed Bond, Grand Secretary;—Chas. Fuhrman, Grand Treasurer;—Walter Ralston, Grand Warden;—J. W. Oliver, Grand Chaplain.

Frederick Wilmer Ruckman and Miss Alice Brooks Thaw were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Thaw, at Richmond, Va., Thursday evening, June 1st. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Yates Downman, rector of All Saints' Episcopal Church, of the city, the bride's pastor. The house was prettily arranged for the occasion in palms, ferns and roses with lighted candles on the mantels. The bride wore a soft white gown hand-embroidered, with a white picture hat, and a bouquet of bride roses. Her maid of honor, Miss Mary Randolph Thaw, wore a frock of pale blue messaline and carried a bouquet of pink sweet peas. James H. Price, of Richmond, attended the bridegroom as his best man. Miss Clara Allen Tompkins played the wedding march, and during the ceremony softly rendered "Melody of Love."

Mr. Ruckman is a son of the late Matthews Ruckman, of Seebert, and is a young lawyer of fine ability. He was building up an elegant practice in Richmond when called home to look after his father's interests in this county upon the latter's death. The bride is a fair type of the southern beauty and has a host of friends in the mother state. Mr. and Mrs. Ruckman are now on a tour of the northern cities and upon their return will make their home at Seebert.

Rev. George P. Moore will preach at Seebert Sunday, June 18th, in the M. E. Church, South at 11 a. m. He will also make an address before the Sunday School at 8 p. m.

Lewisburg, Wednesday evening, June 7th, Rev. D. P. McCreachy, pastor of the bride, performing the ceremony. The groom is a son of the venerable Ute Havener, of Greenbank, and is a prominent citizen of this county. The bride is one of the most popular young ladies in Greenbrier county. Their many friends both in this county and Greenbrier wish them a happy and pleasant journey through life.

#### CALIFORNIA ROAD.

Fine Stretch Between El Monte and Pomona.

Without doubt as fine a stretch of country road as can be found in the United States is that now nearing completion between El Monte and Pomona under one of the contracts of the roads project. In fact, it probably equals any rural road in any other part of the country, as it is built by a process that has only recently been perfected and tried in Germany.

After the roadway is graded and the depressions filled the earth is packed hard with a steam roller, and a layer of crushed rock is laid on pieces averaging several inches. On this is spread a layer of considerably finer rock, and then comes the last layer of very fine rock.

These are pressed firmly together with a heavy steam roller and thoroughly saturated with crude petroleum. Lastly, the roadbed is covered with a layer of rock dust as fine as powder and then smoothed and rolled many times again with the steam roller. The result is a road as hard and firm as any asphalt pavement and one that with a little care is practically indestructible.

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Charley Baxter is building a new barn.

Let everybody subscribe for THE MESSENGER.

### Hevener-Skaggs.

Uriah Hevener, Jr., and Miss Mary Caroline Skaggs were married at the home of the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Skaggs, two miles west of Lewisburg, Wednesday evening, June 7th, Rev. D. P. McGeachy, pastor of the bride, performing the ceremony. The groom is a son of the venerable Uriah Hevener, of Greenbank, and is a prominent citizen of this county. The bride is one of the most popular young ladies of Greenbrier county. Their many friends both in this county and Greenbrier wish them a happy and pleasant journey through life.

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### Steele-Beckett

Robert Morton Steele and Miss Mamie Beckett were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. D. Beckett, at Pickaway, Monroe county, Wednesday, June 14th, Rev. B. P. Pennington, of Princeton, officiating. The wedding was a quiet one, only the members of the families of the contracting parties and their intimate friends being present. The happy couple left for Roncerverte, after congratulations were extended, where they took the train for Niagara Falls, and points on the Great Lakes and in Canada on their honeymoon. Of the young couple the Monroe Watchman says:

The bride is a cultured young lady of charming personality and lovable as well for the graces of her character. She is a graduate of Marshall College and one of the State's most valued teachers, connected for several years with Marlinton High School. The groom is a native of Tazewell Co., Va., but has grown to manhood in Monroe. He too has made the record of a highly successful teacher and is one of the county's most progressive and public spirited young farmers. Indeed, this marriage seems ideal and their friends invoke Heaven's smile upon the union of these gentle hearts.

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That a certified copy of this resolution be presented to the Republican committee at its earliest meeting at this convention of Republicans in Montas county, with the earnest request that the requests herein contained be considered and adopted.

That we endorse the tax laws

Horace Herold, of Mill Gap, Va., and a very promising young man. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lockridge, and a lady of many accomplishments. We extend congratulations.

## Surprised Their Friends.

Their friends here were much surprised Wednesday morning to learn that Michael E. Pue and Miss Nannie P. Kinsey were married the evening before, (Tuesday, Sept. 5th) at the Methodist parsonage in Ronceverte. The happy couple started immediately on a two weeks' bridal tour of northern cities. On their return they will reside in Marlinton.

Mr. Pue is well known in this county having resided in the county for anumber of years. For about three years he has made his home in Marlinton. He is General Agent for the Columbia National Life Insurance Co. for West Virginia. The bride lives in Philadelphia and has been here on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Norman R. Price. THE MESSENGER extends congratulations.

## School House Let

all are in fine healthy condition and "biddy" has not lost a one. The cost of feed has been less than \$1. the neighbors' chickens have consumed a good portion of that.

## Upshur Higginbotham Dead

Attorney Upshur Higginbotham died at the Barber sanitarium in C yesterday at noon of peritonitis about 35 years of age and leaving four small children.

Mr. Higginbotham was one of the best known young men in the county. For several years he held the position of private secretary to Governor Gaines and as such he was well known over the state. The editor of the Normal was a school-mate of his at the Normal and knew him as a man of fine manners, a genial disposition, who had the knack of getting on with all whom he met. At his death was serving his term as city solicitor of Charleston. The party has lost one of its best workers.

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## MAN WHO KEPT UP 2 HOMES

When His Wives Met After Eight Years There Was a Lot of Trouble.

Newark, N. J.—Thomas Schwint, thirty-two years old, admitted that he has had two wives since January, 1903, when he married the second, who was Miss Josephine Pfister. The first, by whom he had four children, he married in 1898.

Schwint told Judge Hahn that after his second marriage he returned to the home of his first wife. When the second wife demanded his presence in her home he informed wife No. 1 he was going on a hunting trip. When he wanted an excuse to return to wife No. 1 he announced to the second Mrs. Schwint his departure on a fishing trip. When the two wives finally met the doubler was arrested on complaint of No. 1.

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Married at the residence of Porter Kellison, on Stoney creek on Wednesday Feb. 1st Owen W. Kellison and Miss Charlotte Beverage, daughter of the late Jacob Beverage, G. S. Weiford officiating minister. The bridal attendants were Mr. Amos Beverage and Miss Bessie Vanreenen. Immediately after the ceremony they repaired to the dining room and much enjoyed the bountiful dinner that had been prepared for the occasion. We bespeak for these young people all the happiness that married life implies.

girls 7; per cent of daily attendance, boys 8, girls 80; average 81; number of trees planted on ground seven.

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### Collins-Hoover.

Mr. John Collins and Miss Bertha Hoover were united in marriage near Durbin, Sunday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. Q. Burr at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Collins, and was witnessed by a few friends and relatives. Supper was served to those present.

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### Population Increases.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sharp, March 4th, a daughter.

Virginia.

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The exact details of how the conductor sustained the injuries could not be learned but it is reported that he was working on his train at the time. Both legs were badly crushed and the bones were protruding from the flesh. He was hurried to the hospital yesterday afternoon and only lived a few hours.

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#### Stacy Creek.

The health of the people is very good. The mumps have about run their course and no danger exists whatever from them.

Howard Beverage is visiting home folks at present. He has been employed by Warm Lumber Co. for quite a while and will return to his labor in a few days.

Charles and Emmett Galford have the contract to do the skidding for Hemythe Bros. on the Duffield job.

John Duffield and Wm. Hefner will leave in a few days for Cincinnati to learn the barber trade.

Jimmy Duffield will go to Texas this summer to be a cowboy.

James L. Sheets was in this section a few days ago buying timber.

Uncle Billy Hannah has been visiting in this neighborhood for several days. He is 84 years old and is still able to walk several miles each day.

Roy Vanuencan is working for Asa Barlow nowadays.

Amos Beverage is having good luck raising lambs this year. Two sets of triplets have been born in his flock so far.

Grant Duncan has bought a half interest in the Lightning Lumber Co. and has employed James Burgess as foreman.

Willie Vanuencan will go to Knoxville, Tenn., this summer to learn telegraphy.

Porter Kelison will help Garrett and Colerider take their cattle to Harrison county next week.

Allen Gay was in this section from Marlinton a few days ago and purchased a mule from Mrs. Beverage to ride on a prospecting trip through Webster and Nicholas counties this spring.

Uriah Beverage has the record of wintering the best bunch of two-year old cattle in this section this winter and they are in good condition now for butchering.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Vanuencan will go to Greenbrier county on a visit soon.

The El Rey Sisters handsomely costumed and themselves naturally pretty gave the greatest exhibition of fancy and trick roller skating ever seen here. From the graceful beginning to the sensational finish there is not a moment's intermission or dullness.—Cincinnati Times Star.

## Summer Normal.

I will conduct a summer normal at Academy, beginning May 25th and continuing eight weeks. Special attention will be given teachers and those preparing to teach. Good board as an attendant at \$10.00 and up. For further particulars address:

CHAPE WILSON,

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a large crowd to Durbin on that day, for the country is well billed for miles around and every body knows of the excellent performance the show gives and the representation it has made in former years.

#### Announcements.

There will be preaching at Dunmore on Sunday, April 30th, at 11 a. m. and at Wesley Chapel at 8 p. m. also on May the 7th, at Cass at 11 a. m. McLaughlin at 8 p. m. and at Stony Bottom at 8 p. m.

The first Quarterly Meeting for Greenbank Circuit will be held at Greenbank, on Saturday and Sunday, May the 13 and 14. Preaching at 11 a. m. of each day by Rev. J. A. Anderson, P. E. The Quarterly Conference will be held on Saturday. A full attendance of the Official Board is desired, as there will be some important business matters to adjust, and this can not be well attended to without a representation from each of the appointments.

W. F. LOWANUE, P. O.

inspiration from the arguments presented, postponed action, and laid the matter over for further consideration at the June term.

A pretty marriage was solemnized at the Marlinton Hotel, on Tuesday afternoon, at 8:45. The contracting parties being Mr. Claude W. Auldridge, son of Mr. Luther Auldridge, and Miss Mollie M. Hogsett, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Kenny Hogsett. They are both popular young people, and of the best families of Marvin Chapel neighborhood. Rev. A. M. Cackley performed the ceremony. The bridal party consisted of Mr. Lanty Hogsett and Miss Anna Hogsett, brother and sister of the bride, Mr. Dennis Ruckman and Miss Nina Auldridge sister of the groom. The bride and groom left on the afternoon train for the east. They will make their home in the community where they were brought up. Their many friends wish for them a happy life.

Birdie M. Lambert, both of Greenbank, this county, Rev. Jno. A. Gero Shipley officiating.

Forrest Clark has resigned his position with the Merchants Grocer Co., of Alderson, and is now at his home at Renick. He will leave Monday for Morgantown where he will enter the University.

Barl Gibson, who has been working for C. J. Richardson through the summer, returned to his home in Kansas Tuesday. Unless he returns here next spring the Marlinton ball team will be badly crippled.

Mr. and Mrs. Page Malcomb went to Savannali, Greenbrier county, Tuesday morning to visit Mrs. Malcomb's mother. They were accompanied by little Gertrude Willis and expect to be gone about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest B. Andrews, of Lewisburg, spent yesterday in Marlinton. Mr. Andrews formerly clerked in A. Harrison's store here and has many friends here who were glad to see him again. This is his first visit here since he left four years ago.

F. R. Hunter has returned from the Sweet Chalybeate Springs whither he has been for several months for the benefit of his health. We understand his health has so far recovered that he will soon be able to resume his position in the Bank of Marlinton.

Dr. and Mrs. Ernest B. Hill spent Sunday at Jacob with Peter Hill, the doctor's father. On that day they held a sort of a family reunion. Mr. Hill's sons, Sherman and Simon, both of whom, the former from Dakota and the latter from a college in Baltimore.

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presiding Elder at Mt. Pleasant School house in the Draft on Saturday night and Sunday morning. There will be preaching at the Methodist church in Marlinton on Sunday night by the pastor. No preaching in the morning.

### Sharp-Jordan.

A very pretty society event occurred in Trinity Church, Frost, on Wednesday evening, August 28, 1907, at 8.15 P. M. when Aaron A. Sharp and Miss Odessa P. Jordan were joined in the bonds of Holy Wedlock, by Rev. O. B. Sharp, officiating minister.

The groom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Sharp, and is a highly respected young man, and a successful teacher in our public schools. The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Jordan, and is a young lady of very amiable disposition, and pure and noble character. The bride was tastefully dressed in white organdie, and the groom wore the conventional black. They were escorted by A. L. Dilly, as best man, and Miss Clara H. Jordan, sister of the bride, as maid of honor. After the ceremony, they repaired to the home of the bride, where a bounteous repast was served to about 50 guests.

The bride was the recipient of a number of useful and valuable presents. The happy couple started for Jamestown and other points, the next morning, followed by the best wishes of their many friends.

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Report of the condition of

## THE BANK OF DURBIN,

Located at Durbin in the State of West Virginia at the close of business Aug 28, 1907.  
Bank first began business December 11, 1905.

### RESOURCES.

Cash and Discounts	91,643.56
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	925.25
Stocks and securities, including premiums	15,187.50
Banking House, furniture and fixtures	11,890.18
Due from Banks	21,784.03
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